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JOHN F. HARTRANFT,
Of Montgomery County.
For Surveyor General,
JACOB M. CAMPBELL,
Of Cambria County.

THIS PAPER is manufactured from old rope, at Haight's Paper Mill, Titusville, Pa.

General Butler's Appearance—His Style as an Orator, &c., &c.

BY GEORGE ALFRED TOWNSEND.

A singular presence was his, short, broad-shouldered, short legged, fat, without much neck, but with a good many flaps around the throat, standing as if a trifle bow-legged and with no suggestion of a military habit and life, rather of sedentary occupations which had encouraged the sagacities and resentments—say, indeed, a politician! A curious natural crescent of a forehead, sweeping round from ear to ear, developed by baldness into a great cranium of a shining pink color, in which the folds of the brain reveal themselves with a naked, muscular appearance. Too naked, indeed, is the man's head, to give the lookers-on in the galleries a comfortable feeling. But for the red tint of his baldness he looks cold.

BUTLER'S FACE AND EXPRESSION.

Now, this man's face, instead of looking straight forward, was compelled to point its chin upwards when it wanted to see anything ahead, because one of its eyelids was in a condition of permanent suspension. He peeped under it as, under a green shade, you often see some acquaintance of yours level his eye along the surface of his cheek. By sympathy with this eye, the other eye also hung fire a little, and it is needless to say that persons of this sort are very seldom handsome. Never forgetting this half-closed eyelid, therefore, you must further imagine the rest of the face to be of an audacious, not to say pugnacious cast and expression. The ears, the eyebrows, the broad cheek bones, the contour of the chin are without delicacy, salient but not massive. He seems forever thinking up some keen, scathing utterance. The sides of the bald head have some thick wings of dark hair hanging to them like the feathered wings of fowl, else plucked. This man wears a good, new coat of black cloth, to match the rest of his dress—Your first feeling as you see him is that if he were a school-master you would mind your lesson; if he were a bank president, you would hate to ask him for a discount. Because he looks as if he would just as lief refuse as consent, and would probably refuse in terms calculated to make a man feel very uncomfortable. In short, Mr Butler is a man that you perhaps wish to have nothing of business to do with at all. He would bully you; he would also conquer you. He would rather impress you with a sense of his power than his magnanimity.

BUTLER'S CAPACITY AND TALENTS.

As to his talent, he need be at no pains to impress you with it; for you admit the same without challenge. A good, strong, suspicious, measuring, worldly look is all over his face. Over the eyebrows the forehead is raised into bumps, as you always see it in men quick at words. Little inertia has he, seeming always poised for a leap. A recollection is always folded under that large, flat, eyelid. Masses of men, whether audiences, mobs, suppliants, legislatures, or juries, affright him never, having always perfect confidence in himself and never daunted courage.—Waiting to address this court and the great and brilliant historic audience, you see him sit at his counsellor's table with the roll of his speech, without a contraction of the throat, a cough, a look of modesty, an attempt at composure—without anything but a set audacity of self-reliance, a wish to get up and go on, a contemptuous impatience for the fight.

This is the remarkable man—remarkable always, whether with the majority or minority—who, without much appeal to original principles or any considerable sacrifice to great motives, has carved for his own person a statue of the first prominence in the history of these eight years of violence. His life has been already written by the most fascinating of our biographers, and the influence of his will upon the country and its enemies has been impressive and decided.

HOW BUTLER PREPARED HIS SPEECH.

I may be excused for speaking so minutely, because this trial will always be momentous in the history of the Republic, and impressions of it are apt to be very flitting and transitory. It will be carefully preserved in all its documentary parts, not so in its atmosphere and episodes, unless the lookers-on jot down their impressions.

General Butler is one of those men who, reared, so to speak, at the criminal bar, has never had any material reverence for the law, more than a sharp-shooter for his rifle. The law has been to him a weapon, not a master. His appeals have never been addressed to the old Doctors of the Law, seeking their reason rather than their weakness. The world in which he has striven for fame has been a miscellaneous jury. He has informed himself upon the motives and credences of human nature, and made the object of all his endeavors, not to convince, but to win. In military affairs, as in legal, he has paid little attention to the comity of nations, the laws of war, or military precedents. To astonish, to awe, to conquer, have been his aspirations. And probably no man in this country ever appealed so successfully to the personal fears of men. Baltimore, New Orleans, and New York, alike felt the terror of his presence. He made himself as awful to the gold gamblers of Wall street and the secession girls and wives of New Orleans as to armed rioters and disaffected and treacherous cities. Discarding all the magnanimities, he was as keen to detect as to punish the minutest infractions of loyalty, even when expressed by looks, by absence, or by silence. In like manner he was always alert for short-cuts to great military ends, as in the canals of the James and Mississippi, and the powder ship of Fort Fisher. He has never had his eye off General Grant since the latter ridiculed him in his report, and he did not scruple to charge Mr. Bingham with having murdered Mrs. Surratt upon mutilated evidence, who would, probably, himself have hanged her without any trial at all.

While Mr. Butler has thus been always in the advance where resolute acts of intimidation were required, he has seldom succeeded in the direct face of an equal enemy, after his ingenious expedients and "short cut" surprises had failed. He was the first either to apprehend or to imitate the spirit of slavery, which is about the same thing in its consequence, and the terror of his name paralyzed the arms of assassins who had sworn to have his life. He went back to Massachusetts after the war, and with the same determination to win, invaded a neighboring Congressional District, pitched his tent upon a common till he had obtained citizenship; and then swept away all competition by the audacity of his canvass, fairly driving the baser lot of politicians to support him by the supposed terror of his influence.

Here in Washington he is surrounded with almost a full company of adherents. They bring him news, search out records and authorities for him, do copying and errand-running, carry threats and inducements, and in short, increase his power, by virtue of that law which Ben Wade quoted the other day: "The more you kick that breed of [illegible], the more they cling to you!"

Never in a republic, has one man succeeded in making himself so terrible. Appealing always to the instinct of fear, he has thus far succeeded beyond the power of talents, of social influence, of wealth or of popularity, in putting himself at the head of every mob. His talent lies in perception, his language, and his audacity. Few men have like fluency and conciseness of expression. Take some examples: What is stronger than his denomination of an insolent rebel woman? "She shall be treated as a common woman of the town, plying her avocation!"

Of Johnson, "He was thrown to the surface by the whirlpool of civil war!"

Of the Dred Scott decision: "Time has not yet laid its softening and correcting hand long enough upon this decision to allow me further to comment upon it in this presence."

A Fatal Panic in a Church.

The services on Good Friday evening at St. Mary's Cathedral in Chicago, were interrupted by a false alarm of fire. The edifice being crowded in every part, a fearful panic ensued, and with shocking results, three women being crushed to death and two others fatally injured. The *Republican* reports this melancholy affair as follows:

They had proceeded as far as the third psalm, and were singing the lamentation commencing "*Domuerunt Somnium Suum*—Sleeping they," &c., when a scream was heard, and in a moment all was confusion. No words can convey the horror that in an instant filled the scene of peaceful worship. Those persons in the body of the church, feeling their utter inability to move, fearing the fall of the crowded galleries; those most remote pressing toward all the avenues of escape.

The Rev. Father Halligan was chanting the Tenebrae at the moment. His voice was drowned by the screams of the women and children. In a moment some one near the door cried "fire." This was the signal for a panic. With great presence of mind, Father Halligan cried out at the top of his voice, "*My Children, keep quiet—there is no fire—no cause for alarm.*" But his words of assurance had no effect upon the terrified people; and to add to the fright and confusion, the cries of, "The galleries are giving away," sent a fresh thrill of terror through the audience.—Many of the women swooned away in their seats, others fainted in the aisle. Some of the men maintained their composure under the trying circumstances, and did much toward restraining many in the body of the church from rashly crowding upon each other.

The people in the galleries, on becoming panic stricken, quickly poured headlong down the stairs. In descending from the south gallery, in their impetuosity to force their way rapidly to the street, the people ran, jumped, and tumbled, until they had got themselves into an entangled and struggling mass at the bottom of the stairway, opposite the door, which opened inward, where were many human beings literally piled together in horrible confusion. There lay, pressed together, the living, the dead and the dying.—The harrowing groans that issued forth, told of the intensity of the suffering that was being endured by many of the unfortunate people. It was a work of great difficulty to disentangle this tightly-wedged mass of humanity, so impacted that the rescuers found themselves at times literally tearing the clothing from the bodies of the victims.

Mrs. McNulty, an old lady of immense size, who had been among the first to gain the stairs, but who had in the excitement missed her footing at the top of the flight, rolled to the bottom, and when reached, was found with her head on the floor, with her feet in an upright position. Life was extinct. Crushed about her, lay others dead and dying. All the victims were removed as speedily as possible to the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, adjoining the Church.

Here the dead and wounded were placed on the parlor floor—side by side; and everything that tended to alleviate the pain of the sufferers, was done by those kind ministering angels—the Sisters of Mercy. Medical aid was immediately sent for, but some delay was experienced in obtaining surgeons, as many of the nearest who were called upon, were absent in attendance upon their patients.

The Pennsylvania Coal Miners' Strike Ended.

From the Pittsburgh Commercial.

The coal miners lately employed in the various mines along the Monongahela and Youghiogheny Rivers, who have been on a strike for the past three months, have agreed with the pit owners to accept three and one-half cents per bushel for digging, and yesterday went to work, and all the works on the Monongahela Valley will be in operation before the close of the week. The season for full mining operations is, however, near at a close—but some six weeks more remaining, when low water will materially interfere with loading barges and end shipments to lower ports, with the exception, perhaps, of a small run out in June. In this strike the coal miners lose much and the pit-owners but little, while each coal-miner could have had his $3 50 per day, or some $90 per month, or nearly $300 for the three months of the strike, he received not a cent. The pit-owners have large capital invested in boats and in the mines and their appurtenances, but the scarcity of coal in lower ports has raised prices to such a height that for all that can be mined and sent out between now and the June rise, they will be paid nearly, if not fully, as well as if the works had been in operation during the three months past. The pit owners have an immense number of empty barges on hand, and will no doubt avail themselves of employing all the diggers their mines will accommodate, so as to be ready for the first rise. The resumption of mining operations will, within a short time, set afloat a large amount of money now idle, and will besides relieve the distressing wants of hundreds of families which have been impoverished by this unfruitful strike.

Abyssinian Incidents.

The interview between Gen. Napier and the Abyssinian Prince Kasfal, of Tigre, was very unique. The British General rode to the place of meeting on an elephant, an animal that the Abyssinians have never succeeded in taming, thereby intending to impress Kassai with a sense of British skill and power. They went through the usual salutations, neither understanding the other, and then entering the tent with the staff officers. Kassai is a young man of thirty-five years of age. His face, of a dark olive color, is intellectual, but he wears a careworn and wearied expression, which justifies his statement that he did not desire power, but that it was thrust upon him by the people of Tigre. He wore the Abyssinian costume, a white robe or toga, embroidered with crimson, round his body, and the flowered silk skirt which marks those high in office around the King. His dark-black hair was arranged in careful plaits, which, drawn back from the forehead, are tied by a piece of ribbon round the back of the neck. He was presented with a double-barrelled rifle and some glass goblets, treated to a review and some port wine, and induced to promise protection and supplies to the British troops. On the return visit, Gen. Napier was surprised at the discipline and skill of Kassai's troops, which were reviewed before him. He was treated to some bread and beer, and presented with a lion skin and war trappings, and a grey mule which he rode back to camp. Kassai hinted that he would like Theodore's place, after that sovereign had been killed, but Gen. Napier declined to promise.

Ling Look, a Chinese sword-swallower, was exhibiting recently in Marseilles. Having swallowed the sword as far as the handle, Ling fastened to the guard a rifle, pulled the trigger and discharged the piece. Having failed to seize the sword between his teeth, to guard against the recoil of the rifle, the latter kicked and forced the sword into the coat of his convenient stomach. He fell down a prey to dreadful internal sufferings, when some doctors who were present rushed upon the stage and drew the Celestial's sword from its lugubrious sheath. Ling is getting better, and will have no occasion to use his coffin, which always accompanied his baggage.

A suit was recently tried in an English court to establish the identity of a grey mare which had been taken from the plaintiff's pasture by the defendant, under the impression that it was an animal of his own, which had been stolen. Forty witnesses swore that the mare was the one stolen from the defendant, while an equal number were positive that it was not. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff.

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READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE

New Advertisements To-Day.

Corinthian Hall—Tom Thumb and Family, April 20th
Taylor's Klenzer—Thompson & Hilton.

Republican County Committee Meeting.

The members of the Republican County Committee for Crawford county are requested to meet at the Court House in Meadville, on Tuesday, April 20, 1868, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of fixing the time of holding the Primary Meetings for the current year.

HENRY C. JOHNSON, Chairman.

Varieties.

—F. K. Phoenix, of Bloomington, Ill., and a contributor to Western papers, calls Wirt Sikes' "Working Girls of New York," in *Putnam's Magazine*, "a blessed article."

—Concerning the practice of sleeping in church, Henry Ward Beecher says: "If a man sleeps under my preaching, I do not send a boy to wake him up, but I feel that a boy had better come and wake me up."

—In Bridgeport, Conn., they are getting out a novelty in the shape of a wagon body. It is made entirely of rubber, hardened by the addition of tin and iron in the composition, and is cast in a mold.

—The New York *Billiard Cue*, *Town and Country*, and *Every Afternoon*, are all dead, having perished in their infancy. Each was started "to supply a recognized want," and each in turn discovered it to be a want of purchasers. It is a bad year for journalistic infants.

—General James F. Jaques, Edmund Kirke's companion to Richmond during the war, is general agent for the New York Life Insurance Company in Arkansas; and Hon. B. G. Humphreys, one of Mr. Johnson's provisional governors, occupies a like position for that company in Mississippi.

—Should General Grant and Wade be elected President and Vice President, Ohio would have the honor of furnishing the President, Vice President, Chief Justice, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Senate, and Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House. Quite enough glory for one State.

Another Railroad Horror.

Under our telegraphic head will be found the particulars of a frightful accident which occurred on the New York & Erie Railroad, at Cam's Station, sixteen miles from Port Jervis. The train was thrown from the track, the wreck took fire, and then the Angola horror was repeated. It has been ascertained that thirteen persons were killed or burnt to death, and one hundred and fifty wounded. Among the latter we notice the name of B. E. Arrowsmith, who left Titusville on Tuesday, for New York. A private dispatch to Thomas Goodwin yesterday, reports that his brother-in-law, Mr. Melville, and son-in-law, Mr. Donahue, of this city, were also among the injured. The particulars of the shocking affair will be awaited with painful interest.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A man who was walking on the track of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad, about two miles west of Corry, was run over on Tuesday, about noon, by the Express train bound eastward. The man was directing his course toward Corry, and the train on the Erie road was approaching Corry at the same time, on the parallel track. The passengers used every signal to notify the man of his danger, but their warnings were unheeded. He was caught up by the cow-catcher, and hurled some ten feet in the air, falling to the ground with frightful violence, and was instantly killed. He was an old man, a farmer; but it was reported that his name was Gordon, and that he hailed from Columbus, Pa. A considerable sum of money was found on his person.

THE DWARFS.—That cunning little chap, and old time favorite, General Tom Thumb, in company with his wee wife, Mrs. Lavinia Warren Stratton Tom Thumb, and those yet more diminutive specimens of humanity, Commodore Nutt and his intended bride, Miss Minnie Warren, will hold *levees* at Corinthian Hall, commencing on Monday next. Though the largest of the quartette, the *petit* General will be the prime attraction, so vivid with many of us are our childish recollections of him. He is now getting well on in years, has developed quite a paunch, we understand, and bears himself with the dignity becoming to a man of family and property. The *levees* of the pigmies will be heartily enjoyed by the youngsters and many of the oldsters.

OUR readers at Shaffer, Pioneer and Boyd Farm, will notice that we publish to-day in our commercial column, the receipts of freight at these stations as well as Titusville. We think this will prove of great advantage to many of our subscribers at those places.

WE had in our office last evening of the nicest little inventions of the age. It consists of a carpet stretcher and tacker. One can, while standing up, stretch and tack a carpet with the utmost ease. We advise all who are interested to obtain one. The cost is trifling. Call at Ames' hardware store and examine them.

Petroleum.

There is comfort sometimes, instruction always, to be derived from the commercial statistics which are to be found in journals devoted to business. Rightly read, they tell of improvements in industrial prospects, or of decline, and usually furnish the reasons in either case. Statistics *per se* are dry, but properly understood they become very valuable sources of intelligence. Let us apply a few statistics presented by the *Commercial List*, avoiding as far as possible extreme nicety as to figures, to the subject of refined petroleum and coal oils. In 1862 the number of barrels of refined oil exported from the United States was under 200,000. In 1867 the amount sent away was increased six-fold, and had reached the enormous total of 1,596,677 barrels. The changes in the tide of commerce are shown by the alterations which have taken place in the destination of refined petroleum. It went originally, in considerable quantity, to England, France, Hamburg and South America. It is called for now more steadily at Bremen, Rotterdam and the Prussian ports, in Australia and Africa. In the trade to these ports there has been a very great increase. There were 822,904 barrels of crude oil on hand in this country on the 1st of January, 1868, capable of making a stock of refined oil equal to 548,603 barrels. The total of refined oil at that time, at home and afloat, was 1,156,514 barrels.

Since 1862 petroleum has seen some very serious ups and downs. At one time it was the most popular of substances, elevated to a height of affection in the public mind, which made it supreme among commodities. There was foundation for the idea that money was to be made out of petroleum. Money *was* made, easily and worthily, by the parties who first embarked in that business *as* a business, designing to prosecute it honestly. The error was in those who came forward into petroleum interests, and who sought to make the production, storage, and sale of this necessary article a matter of wild speculation in real estate and stocks, and, worse still, of fraud and imposture. A more damaging blow to a legitimate and most valuable employment, that was given to the petroleum manufacturers by its so-called friends, was never inflicted upon any branch of industry. The scandal caused by the proceedings of gamblers injured the petroleum trade to an extent which it would be impossible to ascertain. At the time when it should have been increasing, it was thrown down; and by over-production, also, it suffered immensely. The excitement among the outside operators who rushed into this business caused an active stimulation, and more of the oil was brought forth than was necessary to satisfy the commercial demand. Stocks on hand increased to an extent which became troublesome; prices went down. Property upon which great expenditures had been made went down in value, until it was thought it would not pay the cost of keeping. In Pennsylvania, a journey through the county of Venango is like travelling through a forest which has been swept through by fire. Derricks and masts stand upon every side, gaunt and cheerless, marking the sites of devastated and abandoned wells. Delapidated engine-houses, no longer needed, tanks falling to pieces, with all the accompaniments of ruin and decay, are mementoes of zeal badly directed and of expensive folly. With all these tokens to show how much frenzy outran reason, it might be thought that there would be an end to the petroleum trade in the United States. But it has survived the madness of its friends. A few persons who had honestly gone into the business with capital, and a determination to apply their own industry to it, have gone on prudently, and kept their work within their means. They have persevered, controlling their efforts, when oil was low in price, to supplying the actual wants of the market and no more, and increasing their stock as prices went up. Under all discouragements they have persevered, and they have preserved a commerce of great value to the country, and which must increase regularly hereafter.

The Farm Lands of this Country.

Some interesting facts may be gathered from the recent report of the Agricultural Bureau with reference to the comparative acres of farm lands, improved, and waste lands, in the different States of the Union. For example the Southern States exhibit an area of three hundred million acres of wild or waste lands, two hundred million acres of farm lands unimproved—that is, untilled—and only about seventy million acres nominally improved, more than half of which is not in actual cultivation. The extreme West shows nearly the same ratio of improved and unimproved agricultural territory.

The number of farms and their size vary curiously in different States, and the relative amount of tilled and untilled lands are also very different.

The largest farms are found in California, where the average size of eighteen thousand farms is 666 acres.

Massachusetts, with thirty-eight thousand farms, averages only 94 acres to a farm, being in this respect the most minutely divided of all the States in the Union.

The largest number of farms is found in New York, which had 196,000, averaging 106 acres, and the next largest in Ohio, which numbers 179,000, averaging 114 acres. Nevada, as yet, has only 91 farms, which average 617 acres.

The greatest area of wild land is found in Texas, which has no less than one hundred and twenty-six million acres of this unprofitable territory, to set against less than three million acres of land in nominal cultivation; and California comes next, with one hundred and twelve million acres of waste, against a little over two millions cultivated.

Rhode Island, with little more than three hundred thousand acres of waste territory, has over five thousand farms, averaging 96 acres, besides one hundred and eight thousand acres of farm lands unimproved.

The total area of "Congress lands" in all the States amount to eight hundred and forty million acres, the total number of farms in cultivation to two million and thirty-four thousand acres, and the aggregate of average size to 102 acres. The above figures are given in round numbers only, but made near as possible to the exact amounts stated in the report.

It will be seen that there is still vast room for agricultural improvement, and that the territory still lying open to cultivation is sufficient to provide for almost unlimited immigration through very many years to come.

The term "wild or waste land," used in the report, is not meant to signify land unfit for farming purposes, but only that which still remains unclosed and unappropriated, in a state of virgin forest, prairie or plain. Some of this is of course, sterile, but very much of it only needs the hand of industry to make it blossom into fruitfulness.

THE latest arrival of Wall Papers can be found at Olmsted & Jewhurst, who have just received another lot of spring patterns of all kinds, and at prices that will put any one in mind of old times. They are selling good papers at six cents per roll, white papers at 12½ cents per roll, satin paper at 22 cents per roll, and claim to have the largest stock, the best assortment, and the latest patterns ever brought to this market. Don't fail to see them. A splendid lot of decorations and gilt paper on exhibition. It

BUFFALO Skin Over Shoes at SOUTHWICK'S, Merchants' Exchange.

The Ventilation of Houses.

There is no subject so directly and intimately connected with the public health as the proper ventilation of public buildings, schools, theatres, churches, workshops and dwellings. The very first and last great want of human beings is fresh air. Without it health is impossible; and if it be not supplied in sufficient quantities an early death is inevitable to all who breathe. The fact is everywhere attested by the records of mortality. A pure, fresh atmosphere sweeps continually over and around us, seeking the inmates of every home and workshop, rushing in through open doors and windows, finding admission through the smallest crack, and never ceasing to do its life and health-giving work, until forcibly confined and criminally poisoned. Man's best friend when in motion, it is his greatest enemy when stagnant; yet architects continue to build without making proper provision for atmospheric movements. Any one, having passed the evening out of doors in the cool, fresh air, who will stand in the vestibule of a public hall while the audience is leaving at the close of the performance, will find that "it appears no other thing than a foul and pestilent congregation of vapors." The churches are no better. Dwelling houses and bed rooms are similarly constructed, so that, whether we labor or worship, seek amusement or entertainment, or spend our leisure in the domestic circle, at all times when we are not absolutely in the open air we are compelled to breathe an atmosphere that is impure and noxious. It is, then, no wonder that the list of deaths from the so-called zymotic diseases is long. The only wonder is that the Register does not certify them thus: Deaths by asphyxia—suffocated in the putrid exhalations of their own persons.

Attention has recently been called to the subject of ventilation by the publication of a series of lectures delivered in the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia by Lewis W. Leeds, Consulting Engineer of Ventilation and Heating for the United States Treasury Department. In these pages the author has set forth some of the essential principles of ventilation in plain and homely phraseology, entirely free from technical language, and illustrated them in such a way as to make them intelligible to every one. The endeavor seems to have been rather to arouse the attention of the reader to the importance of the subject than to produce an elaborate treatise on ventilation, and to suggest a few practical methods of introducing fresh air into dwellings rather than to analyze systems, or to criticise the numerous plans that have been proposed for furnishing buildings with an adequate air-supply. Mr. Leeds attacks the theory that "night-air" is unwholesome, by showing that the atmosphere is more free from certain impurities at night than at any other time; and explains the excessive mortality of children by showing that in badly ventilated rooms the foul air falls to the floor. This also explains the necessity for open fire-places; but he furthermore shows that when fresh air on entering is cooler that the temperature of a room in which the atmosphere is made impure by burning lamps or gas, an opening near the floor will not answer the purposes of healthful ventilation. In such an event the opening should be at the top of the room.

In regard to heating rooms, Mr. Leeds remarks that as the sun's rays do not directly heat the air, but the earth, the air becoming heated by contact with the earth, therefore an open fire is more wholesome than any other means of artificial heating, because it more nearly imitates the action of the sun, and heats the atmosphere by radition. Particular stress is laid upon these two points, which it would be well for all housekeepers to remember, namely, that temperature has nothing to do with the purity or impurity of the air, and that a small room, with quick ventilation, is better than a large one if the ventilation be slow and sluggish. The value of atmospheric moisture is also treated in a very clear and concise manner.

Affairs at Pleasantville—Extensive Developments—Old Times Revived.

PLEASANTVILLE, April 15, 1868.

Editors Morning Herald:

Some time has elapsed since we noticed any communication from our town, and being in possession of some items of interest, we deem it proper to forward them. A new well commenced testing on Monday upon the Lamb farm. She commenced showing oil on Tuesday, and is doing now at the rate of twenty barrels per day, and is still increasing. They commenced working with old tubing and an old working barrel merely for the purpose of cleaning the well, but expect soon to fit her out in good style which will no doubt double the production. We visited the well last evening and think she bids fair to be as good as any in the neighborhood. Mr. Hebert, of New York, has leased a large portion of land to practical and experienced operators, who are at work erecting the necessary requirements for immediate operations, many of which are in sight of the hotel. This gentleman has but four leases left, which are very desirable situations, and will be let only to those who intend to operate thereon immediately. The demands for territory are still on the increase, and we find every day men of experience in oil operations, taking hold in our midst. "Mac" has not at present sufficient room for the accommodation of his numerous guests, and is erecting a new building two stories high, about forty by sixty, which will be finished in two or three weeks, when we hope all who come here can be comfortably accommodated, particularly with lodgings. So far as feeding the multitude is concerned, none need go away hungry, as "Mac" is a liberal and bountiful provider. The numerous comers at present very forcibly reminds us of the lively times in Titusville during the excitement of 1865, and from present prospects we expect a flourishing summer.

RESIDENT.

Death of Philip Dorsheimer.

The Buffalo papers announce the death of Hon. Philip Dorsheimer in that city on Saturday, April 11, at the age of 71 years. Mr. Dorsheimer had for many years held a prominent position in State politics, first as a Democrat and afterwards as a Republican.

He was twice appointed Postmaster of Buffalo and was afterwards elected State Treasurer. In 1861, Mr. Lincoln appointed him Collector of Internal Revenue for the 30th District, which position he held until Johnson needed some more serviceable tool and removed him. Mr. Dorsheimer has been sick some months, and his death will not be unexpected to those who have heard from him recently.

About a year ago he met with an accident by a fall upon the flagging of the grounds of his residence, which injured one of his shoulders. A few months afterwards a tumor began to gather upon the part that was injured, which, after attaining large proportions, was removed by a skillful surgical operation, and hopes were entertained of his recovery. But again and again the tumor gathered, until four operations were endured at intervals of a few months. The tumor finally put on a cancerous character, when all hope of recovery was abandoned, and he has patiently and resignedly awaited the final summons.

The Buffalo *Express* says of Mr. Dorsheimer: "Philip Dorsheimer is now at rest, and none can recur to the many years that he has sojourned among us, without feelings of attachment and respect for his memory. As a friend he was confiding, kind and devoted.

"A large circle of friends and acquaintances will deplore the death of this citizen, whose life was genial, and whose memory is surrounded by many pleasant social recollections."

For the Morning Herald.

A Glimpse of Heaven.

A sweet little face with tender eyes,
And a mouth where smiles are playing;
A dear little head of yellow curls,
With the sunlight through them straying—
Close to the window pane is pressed,
Tired of books and story,
Standing to watch the storm-clouds drift—
And trace the lightning's glory.
The smile fades out from the sweet red mouth,
Blue eyes grow deep with wonder—
Hushed is the breath—as with awe she heard
The roll of the distant thunder.
Softly she steals to her mother's side:
Dear mamma! the Lord has given
His angels charge to open the gates
And show me a glimpse of Heaven.
They swung it back but a little ways,
But I saw the light and glory;
And it came so bright that I closed my eyes—
But I heard the angel's story—
For he spoke in a voice so deep and grand
That it made me start and shiver,
And he said the words that you read last night:
"The Lord—He is God forever."
So, mamma, I think that I'm God's own child—
And all my faults are forgiven,
And that, if I'm good, He'll carry me home,
For He gave me a glimpse of Heaven.

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Oh! the simple words of that little one—
How they thrill us with new trusting!
How they bring once more the earnest faith
Which doubts and fears were rusting.
Again and again by the joy and peace
"Which passeth understanding,"
Has God proclaimed, we are called of Him;
What more are we demanding?
Can we not say—remembering this—
"Our Father! Thou art calling!
Renew once more our trembling faith
And keep Thy child from falling!
Remove the fears that weigh us down;
Let fuller trust be given—
Till we can say, with the little child—
We've had a glimpse of Heaven."

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April, 1868.

Adjournment of the Legislature—Presentations.

Both Houses of the Legislature adjourned on Tuesday at noon. In the Senate Mr. Wilmer Worthington, of Chester, was elected Speaker in place of Mr. Graham, whose term has expired.

In the House the following proceedings took place:

Mr. Wilson, (Rep.) of Allegheny, on the part of the Republican members of the House, presented to the estimable wife of the Speaker of the House, a handsome china set.

Mr. Jones, (Dem.) of Berks, on behalf of the Democratic members of the House, presented to the Speaker a costly gold watch, with proper inscription.

Senators Fisher and Randall waited on the House with the information that the Senate would adjourn *sine die* at twelve o'clock, noon.

The speaker returned his thanks for the presentation made by Mr. Jones.

Mr. Kerr (Republican of Dauphin), in behalf of the officers of the House, presented the speaker with a heavy gold watch and chain.

Mr. Linton (Democrat of Cambria), on the part of the members of the House without distinction of party, presented General James L. Selfridge, chief clerk, a valuable gold watch.

Mr. Thorn (Republican of Philadelphia), in behalf of the pages of the House, presented the chief clerk with a gold-headed ebony cane.

Mr. Jenks (Democrat of Jefferson), on behalf of the members generally, presented Edward Glenn, assistant clerk, with a gold-headed ebony cane.

Mr. Ford (Republican of Allegheny), on the part of the officers and members, presented J. N. Small, resident clerk, with a gold-headed ebony cane.

Mr. McCullough (Democrat of Clearfield), on behalf of the clerks, presented the Speaker with a handsome gavel.

After speeches by Messrs. Chalfant and Jones, the House adjourned *sine die*, the members singing "Auld Lang Syne."

From the British Press and Jersey Times.

GENERAL TOM THUMB AND COMMODORE NUTT AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.—About noon yesterday public announcement was posted, stating that General Tom Thumb and his interesting party would appear on the boards of the new Theatre Royal, and give one of their first St. James' Hall entertainments, in connection with the French Dramatic Company; but as they had to hold an ordinary *levee* at the Queen's Assembly Rooms the same evening, the prevalent opinion was that the second representation would be a failure. The sequel proved not only that this opinion was erroneous, but that the General and the Commodore, with the beautiful little ladies who accompany them, are indeed potent in swaying and governing the public mind; for both the Queen's Assembly Rooms and at the Theatre Royal there were very large audiences, in fact, it is now some months since the *habitues* of the Theatre Royal have seen such a crowded and enthusiastic house. Upon the arrival of the General's party, the orchestra (which had been extended) struck up a lively air, and Tom Thumb's arrival was at once announced. When he and the Commodore, with the little ladies made their appearance, they were received with tremendous cheering, which they graciously acknowledged.

From the Daily Press, Bristol, England.

DWARF GOSSIP.—The *levees* of Gen. Tom Thumb and his equally diminutive company continue to be patronized by crowded and delighted audiences. The charms of the two ladies are sufficient to attract hosts of admirers wherever they go. Of either of them it may be said, as Sir John Suckling said of the Lady Mary Howard, that

"Her finger was so small the ring
Would not stay on which they did bring—
It was too wide a peck;
And to say the truth (for out it must),
It look't like a great collar (just)
About our young colt's neck.

Her feet, beneath her petticoat,
Like little mice stole in and out,
As if they feared the light;
But, oh! she dances such a way,
No sun upon an Easter day
Is half so fine a sight."

The performances of the miniature party are, independent of their limited stature, well worth seeing. The General's stump speech is one of the funniest things we have ever heard. No one can by any possibility help laughing at it. Commodore Nutt has on every occasion we have paid him a visit made us seriously ill. When Nature provided us *sides* it never contemplated that the *splitting* powers of a Nutt would ever be brought to bear upon them, or a little extra strength would have been provided to counteract the effect. Such irresistible comedy we have rarely seen; but when Mr. Nutt and Miss Warren as Mr. and Mrs. Crow, got up in character, appear upon the platform the climax is reached, and it is a difficult thing to preserve one's self intact under the influences of such mirth-provoking caricatures. The entertainment needs no recommendation. Of course *everybody* will go to see Tom Thumb, and equally as a matter of course, everybody will be charmed by what they see, and delighted with what they hear.

From the Louisville Journal.

Their costumes and diamonds worn at their exhibitions, actually cost over $50,000.

NOTICE.—The members of "Brown's Silver Cornet Band," are requested to meet at the Bush House this evening at 8 o'clock, as business of importance will be transacted.

By order. J. H. DINGMAN, Secretary.

LOCAL NOTICES.

BEST assortment in town of the latest miscellaneous books published, at B. N. HURD & Co.'s.

A NICE THING TO HAVE—One of those fine Croquet Games to be found at Esler's Variety Store; also a large quantity of Base Balls and Kites.

PARSNIPS, beets, carrots and best potatoes, at HALL'S.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a farm go to MYERS & SHERMAN, Fletcher's Block.

NEW TEAS—Just received at the Great Western Tea Agency. GRANGER & Co., sole Agents.

LADIES' Patent Button Gaiters at SOUTHWICK'S, Merchants' Exchange.

JERSEY sweet potatoes, superior quality, at HALL'S.

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LOCAL NOTICES.

AT FARNSWORTH'S (Pioneer City) News Depot, you can find Blood, Cough and Soothing Syrups, Pills, Toilet Soap, Hair Oil, Brushes, Combs, Violin Strings, Paper Collars, Cigars and Tobacco, Stationary, &c., &c.

GET your Garden Seeds at H. L. HERSBERG, & Co.'s.

PRIME butter, cheese and fresh eggs, at HALL'S.

FOSTERS ROTARY PUMP AND BLOWER, Gibbs & Russell sole agents for the oil regions.

HARRIS has a new lot of Ladies' Furs, call and see them.

DURYEA'S MAIZENA, the best variety of Corn Starch for cooking purposes. Ask your grocer for it.

CHINCHILLA CLOAKING, all shades, just opened at HARRIS'.

DRILLING TOOLS, Iron Tanks, Stills, Boilers or Engines made or repaired by Gibbs & Russell.

D. HARRIS & BRO. received last night a new lot of cloakings. Come and see them.

CHRONIC CATARRH CURABLE.—Dr. R. B. Brown, of Troy, Jefferson county, Pa., has had the pleasure of witnessing Dr. Aborn's successful treatment of Catarrh, Throat and Lung disease.

THROAT AFFECTIONS.—Chronic Catarrh of the head and all diseases of the Eye, Ear, Lungs, and chronic diseases generally, especially such cases as have been considered incurable, successfully treated by Dr. Abron, No. 134 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mc25d&w1m.

A LARGE lot of Trunks just received at J. J. McCrum's at all prices from $2.50 to $30.00

SEVERAL houses and lots in Titusville, in good neighborhoods, for sale very low, at MYERS & SHERMAN'S, Fletcher Block.

IF YOU want to buy, sell or rent a house and lot, go to MYERS & SHERMAN, Fletcher's Block.

SEND to Vick's for a catalogue, and then go to Doty & Fuller's and select your Garden Seeds, Bulbs, Plants and Roots, at Rochester prices.

NEW maple syrup and maple sugar, very choice, just received at HALL'S.

LARGE lot of that Beautiful French Writing Ink, at B. N. HURD & Co.

AT the Boyd Farm (Depot) Restaurant you will always find a Cup of hot Tea or Coffee and Lunch.

A CATALOGUE of Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Bulbs, Plants and Roots, given away at Doty & Fuller's Seed Depot, corner Franklin and Pine streets. "Go and get one" and patronize *home trade*. Onion Sets and Seed Potatoes for sale.

LATEST news from Washington received daily at Esler's Variety Store. All the late Periodicals, Magazines, &c., right from the press; School Books, Blank Books, and Stationery constantly on hand.

FIVE Thousand Rolls of Wall Paper just received and we are receiving daily new patterns for spring at the reduced prices. Don't fail to see them. OLMSTED & JEWHURST.

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SPLENDID lot and new styles Tuck Memorandums and Pocket Books, at B. N. HURD & Co.

GARDEN SEEDS.—Sixty varieties of Fresh Vegetable Seeds in bulk. Also Onion Sets and Fancy Grass Seed, at Rochester prices. Flower Seeds and Bulbs, in great variety, at Doty & Fuller's.

Orders received for any kinds of Flower Seeds, Bulbs, Roots or Plants, at Rochester and Philadelphia prices.

JOB PRINTING of all kinds done on short notice at the MORNING HERALD office. Send us your orders by mail, if it is not convenient to call, and they shall receive our prompt attention. We have a complete assortment of paper, cards &c., and get up on short notice, anything needed in ordering handbills or posters, state the size. A half-sheet bill is 18x24 inches; a quarter-sheet bill 12x18 inches; an eighth-sheet bill 9x12 inches; and a sixteenth-sheet bill 6x9 inches. Bill heads are printed on sixth, quarter and half-sheets, and have seven, thirteen and thirty-five lines respectively, for writing. Cards are printed from an inch square to 22x28 inches, the size of a full sheet. Orders for printing receipts, petitions, orders, bill-heads, cheques, drafts, notes, shipping tags, cards, handbills, envelopes, card signs, letter-heads, tickets, circulars, shipping bills, programmes, reports, labels, prescriptions, bills of fare, ball invitations and programmes, address cards, statements, milk tickets, wedding cards, leases, badges, &c., &c., &c. Printing in colors, bronze or tint when ordered. Binding of all kinds, and blank books of the best style, quality and finish, for merchants, oil companies and banks. Send on your orders. We will do your work well and promptly.

Address "HERALD," or BLOSS BROS. & COGSWELL, Titusville, Pa.

November 1, 1867.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS.—*On the 1st instant we made very considerable reduction in our rates for all advertisements inserted for a short time. One square, or 10 lines of nonpariel type, is inserted one time for 60 cents—formerly 75 cents; one week, $2.50—formerly $3.00, &c. See table on first page.*

SPECIAL NOTICES.

COLGATE & CO.'S GERMAN ERASIVE SOAP is manufactured from PURE MATERIALS and may be considered the STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE. For sale by all Grocers. my21-tu-th.sakwly.

New York Life Insurance Company.—The undersigned has been appointed Solicitor for this Company in Titusville and vicinity. Has had considerable experience in the business. Applications respectfully solicited, and Policies issued of all the most approved forms known to the best Life Insurance Companies. J. H. COGSWELL.

Titusville, April 4, 1868. april6tf

Mr. A. W. Myers, Postmaster of Oil City, is our duly authorized to receive subscriptions for the MORNING HERALD, or WEEKLY HERALD. BLOSS BROS. & COGSWELL.

April 7, 1868.

For Sale.—A four barreled Sharp & Co. pistol. Sold for no fault except shooting its owner by an accidental discharge. Price $15.00, or less. For further particulars, inquire of J. H. COGSWELL, agent for the owner.

THE Benefits of Advertising.—What made Bonner rich? Advertising. What sold our Government bonds? Jay Cooke's Advertising. What made Bonner's *Ledger*? ADVERTISING. What made A. T. Stewart's fortune? ADVERTISING. What sold 800,000 tickets in the Crosby Opera House scheme? ADVERTISING.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Consisting of the Original World-Renowned

GENERAL TOM THUMB!

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That inimitable specimen of wit, skill, agility and comic drollery.

COMMODORE NUTT!

(known as "the $30,000 Nutt")

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POSITIVELY ONE DAY ONLY!

Corinthian Hall, Titusville, Monday, April 20th,

TWO LEVEES, AT 3 AND 8 P. M.

After an absence of three years in Europe, where they have delighted nearly all the Kings, Queens, Emperors, Nobility, and Five Million citizens of the "Old World," these Wonderful LILLIPUTIANS have returned to their native land, and are giving a few FAREWELL ENTERTAINMENTS prior to their final retirement to private life.

They are undoubtedly the most astonishing and delightful Wonders of the Age! Four beautifully and symmetrically formed ladies and gentlemen in Miniature. Graceful, Intelligent, Witty, Educated and Refined, exhibiting the most polished manners of the fashionable Drawing Room, and yet only the size of three year old children.

Their Unique and exquisitely Enchanting PERFORMANCES and EXHIBITION never fail to charm and delight every beholder.

SONGS, DUETTS, DANCES, &c., in characteristic COSTUME, MILITARY EXERCISES, COMIC IMITATIONS and DELINEATIONS, FANTASTIC ORATIONS, DIALOGUES, amusing TRICKS, CLASSIC STATUES, FUNNY PANTOMIMES and BURLESQUE COMEDIES enchant the children, delight the ladies, and astonish and please the gentlemen.

The scores of Rich and Elegant DRESSES, and the brilliant collection of Diamonds worn before the various Potentates of Europe, all of which are introduced in these Popular Levees, cost over TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN GOLD!

These little mites of humanity are conveyed to and from their Hotel and Hall by their beautiful Shetland Ponies and Miniature Carriage, attended by Elfin Coachman and Footman in Livery.

Ladies and Children are considerately advised to attend the Day Exhibition, and thus avoid the crowd and confusion of the evening performances.

Admission, - - - - - 25 Cts.
Children under ten, - - - - 15 "

RESERVED SEATS, 51 Cents; Children under ten, 25 Cents. april4-d4t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

USE TAYLOR'S KLENZER FOR SILVER AND PLATED WARE, BRITANNIA, WHITE METAL, &c.

Warranted to give perfect satisfaction.

BARNUM'S CREMONA,

Sure cure for Chapped Hands, Lips and Face. Prepared by S. B. BARNUM, Druggist, 1307 Peach street, Erie, Pa. Sold by THOMPSON & HILTON, sole agents for Titusville, Pa., and vicinity. apr16-tu&sd3m

H. T. HUNT, Manufacturer of BAND-WHEELS, BULL-WHEELS,

And all kinds of wood-work for Oil Well Rigs. Also, a superior article of Hickory and White Ash Sucker Rods at 3c per foot, or finished up with the best of irons, at 11c per foot. Shop No. 21 Water street, Titusville. apr15

GREAT EXCITEMENT!

AURORA OIL!

THE CHEAPEST AND

BEST LIGHT IN THE WORLD!

In calling the attention of the public to the above Oil, we make the following claims:

1st. Its inability to burst by explosion, a vessel containing it.

2d. It gives a better quality of light than is produced from Carbon Oil.

3d. It emits no odor while burning.

4th. It contains no oil or grease, consequently will not soil the finest fabric.

5th. The lamp requires less care than when burning Carbon Oil.

6th. It will burn equally as long and give a larger flame.

In proof of the claims of its *non-explosiveness*, we annex the opinion of Prof. J. L. Cassels, M. D., President of the Board of Faculty of Cleveland Medical College:

Messrs. H. C. DeWitt & Co., Cleveland, Ohio:

GENTS:—I have submitted your Aurora Oil to a series of tests, and find that it comes within the requirements of the laws of this State regulating the qualifications of illuminating oils. It emits no explosive gas, even when heated to 180 degrees Fahrenheit. If used with ordinary care, I consider it a safe illuminating agent.

Yours, very respectfully,
PROF. J. LANG CASSELS, M. D.,
Prof. of Chemistry, Medical College, also, State Petroleum Inspector for Cuyahoga Co., Ohio.

Also a letter from James Hill, Esq., Chief Engineer and Fire Warden of Cleveland; and Surveyor for the Board of Fire Underwriters, as to its effects upon Insurance:

CLEVELAND, February 13, 1868.

Geo. H. Coburn, Esq., Fire Marshal, Titusville, Pa.:

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 17th is at hand, and in reply, would say that Aurora Oil is manufactured in this city and sold and used freely, and considered as safe as Refined Petroleum. As yet, not a single case of accident or explosion of Aurora Oil has come to my knowledge, but it is an every day occurrence to hear of other oils exploding. I have tried every conceivable way to explode a lamp of this oil, but failed to do it.—At present nearly every member of the Fire Department is using Aurora Oil, including myself, and we consider it perfectly safe. I am surveyor for the Board of Fire Underwriters and I reported to them my opinion, and no objections are made by the Insurance Companies to write for parties who use this oil.

Yours truly,
(Signed,) JAMES HILL,
Chief Engineer, and Fire Warden.

We invite the public to call and examine for themselves. For sale and on exhibition at our office on Franklin street, third door in rear of Savings Bank. apr13 COBURN & CO.

REAL ESTATE.

We think parties wishing to buy or sell Real Estate, will consult their interest by leaving full description of their property with us, as our facilities and acquaintance, we trust, will be of a mutual advantage to both buyer and seller.

MYERS & SHERMAN.

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THE TITUSVILLE SAVINGS BANK, SELLS DRAFTS ON ENGLAND, IRELAND & SCOTLAND, AND ALSO ON FRANCE, GERMANY, SWITZERLAND, BELGIUM, And all Countries in Europe april14d&w1w

M. F. ROBINSON IS AGENT FOR **Singer's New Family Sewing Machines,** Western Union Telegraph Office, Spring St.

LOST. On Sunday last, between the churches at Petroleum Centre and Plumer, a MINK FUR COLLAR. If left at the office of F. W. ANDREWS, Plumer, the finder will be liberally rewarded.

GEORGE C. SMITH, WHITEWASHER AND CALCIMINER. [illegible]

FOR SALE, TO LET, WANTS.

A SITUATION WANTED AS A GARDENER.

By a person who has practical experience as a Gardener, both in the old and new country. Is willing to make himself generally useful, caring for horses, &c. Serving in a respectable family more of an object than high wages. For further particulars, apply to the mar27 EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

By virtue of authority vested in me by Acts of Congress, of July, 1862, and March and June, 1864, I have levied on the following property, to satisfy a debt of John Lane, due the United States under said Acts: One Oil Refinery on Bull Run, in Oil Creek or Cornplanter township, Venango County, Pa.; also all buildings and other property connected with the said refinery, or belonging to the said John Lacey; also the lot or parcel of land on which the said refinery is situated.

Sale to take place on Saturday, April 18, 1868, at one o'clock p. m., on the premises.

mar26dtd C. M. ALLEN, Deputy Collector.

FOR SALE.

TEN FIRST-CLASS SECOND HAND STEAM ENGINES,

Of different makers, varying in size from 8 to 20 horse power. Fifteen joints DRIVING PIPE. Inquire of, or address H. DWIGHT, Agent, Pioneer, Pa. feb25-d3m*

TO RENT.

The property known as the POMEROY HOUSE, with Barn, &c., all in good condition. The building is well arranged for three families or for a hotel, and will be rented accordingly. Inquire of, F. L. SEELEY, mar9tf Kingsland Block.

ROOMS TO RENT OF DIFFERENT KINDS,

Suitable for offices or families for 50 cents per week and upwards. Inquire at 24 Franklin street. dec4tf GEO. S. STEWART.

FOR SALE.

The House and Lot, Northeast corner of East Spring and Martin streets, formerly occupied by Richard Hoag. Size of Lot, about one acre. House large and roomy. Good barn and ice house. Terms will be made to accommodate a good purchaser. Apply to mar3tf W. W. KINGSLAND.

TO RENT, THE ATLANTIC HOUSE.

Suits of rooms to suit parties can be had, if the whole house is not desired, in the Atlantic House; or will sell the property very low. Inquire of apr4-d2w MYERS & SHERMAN.

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One who has had an experience of four or five years in the management of Oil Wells, and in

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Desires employment in either of these capacities. Address HERALD OFFICE. april14w

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A SPLENDID LOCATION.

FEED & GROCERY STORE,

Now in use—which will pay. Address BOX 1276 P. O. apr1-tf

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Apply to CHARLES HYDE. feb22-eodtm

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Located on Oil Creek, about five miles above Oil City. Has all the late improvements and excellent facilities for shipping refined, and receiving crude oil. Capacity, 400 barrels refined per week. Price $12,500. Address SCOTT, CASS & Co., Tarr Farm, Pa. apr10-1m.

FOR RENT AND SALE.

A Cottage House. Apartments. Rooms. Store on Diamond street. Corner lot Franklin and Water streets, for sale or rent.

FOUR HOUSES ON SPRING STREET,

Will sell at a bargain. Rooms from $5 to $6 00 per month. Inquire of J. H. BROAS, apr14d1w 2 Broas Block, Franklin & Main sts.

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And will call on our citizens and take orders. apr16d2w

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$5.20 per Keg from 8 to 60 pennies.

The attention of Oil men is called to his stock of

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Constantly on hand. Bills sawed to order on short notice. Office and yard west end of Pine street, on Oil Creek Railroad.

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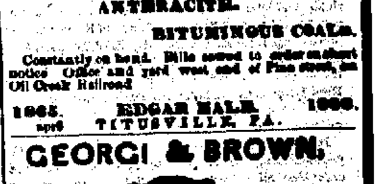

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A large stock of PIANOS, ORGANS and MELODEONS. Also a complete assortment of Sheet Music, &c. [illegible]

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Titusville Morning Herald.

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Easter Eggs.

The use of Easter eggs dates far back in the Middle Ages. Its origin is not definitely known, but the inhabitants of Western Europe are said to have borrowed it from the Greek church. Their crimson coloring is to represent the blood of Christ.

The following lines on "Easter Eggs" were written by the late Captain Fitz James O'Brien:

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As he swings along in his path of gold.

"[illegible]," says my boy to me,
As he merrily climbs on his mother's knee,
"Why are these eggs that you see me hold,
Colored so finely with blue and gold!
And what is the wonderful bird that lays
Such beautiful eggs on Easter days?"

Tenderly shine the April skies,
Like laughter and tears in my child's blue eyes,
And every face in the street is gay,
Why cloud this youngster's by saying nay?
So I cudgel my brains for the tale he begs
And tell him this story of Easter eggs.

You have heard, my boy, of the man who died,
Crowned with keen thorns and crucified,
And how Joseph the wealthy—whom God reward!
Cared for the corse of his martyred Lord,
And piously tombed it within the rock,
And closed the gate with a mighty block.

Now close by the tomb a fair tree grew,
With pendulous leaves and blossoms of blue,
And deep in the green tree's shadowy breast
A beautiful singing bird sat on her nest,
Which was bordered with mosses like malachite,
And held four eggs of an ivory white.

Now when the bird from her dim recess
Beheld the Lord in his burial dress,
And looked on the Heavenly face so pale,
And the dear feet pierced with the cruel nail,
Her heart nigh broke with a sudden pang,
And out of the depths of her sorrow she sang.

All night long, till the moon was up,
She sat and sang in her moss-wreathed cup,
A song of sorrow as wild and shrill
As the homeless wind when it roams the hill,
So full of tears—so loud and long,
That the grief of the world seemed turned to song.

But soon there came through the weeping night
A glittering angel clothed in white,
And he rolled the stone from the tomb away,
Where the Lord of the Earth and Heavens lay,
And Christ arose in the cavern's gloom,
And in living lustre came from the tomb!

Now the bird that sat in the heart of the tree
Beheld this celestial mystery,
And its heart was filled with a sweet delight,
And it poured a song on the throbbing night—
Notes climbing notes, till higher, higher,
They shot to Heaven like spears of fire.

When the glittering white robed angel heard
The sorrowing song of the grieving bird,
And heard the following chant of mirth
That hailed Christ risen again on earth,
He said, "Sweet bird, be forever blest—
Thyself, thy eggs, and moss wreathed nest!"

And ever, my child, since that blessed night,
When death bowed down to the Lord of Light,
The eggs of that sweet bird change their hue,
And burn with red, and gold and blue,
Reminding mankind in their simple way,
Of the holy marvel of Easter Day.

It is proposed to transport to England "Cleopatra's Needle," the prostrate obelisk at Alexandria, Egypt, which Ali Pacha gave to George IV forty years ago. The cost of carriage would be £10,000.

A Portland school-house caught fire the other day, and as the boys watched it, one in another school said, enthusiastically and honestly, to his companion: "Oh! Johnny, don't you wish it was our school house?"

It is proposed in the South to utilize the abundant but hither to useless crop of sour oranges. They are found to yield citric acid, extensively used in medicine and the arts, and now obtained from lemons and limes.

The Rev. Albert Barnes is about to give to the world his last work, in the shape of "Notes on the Psalms." In the preface to the forthcoming volume he says: "These notes on the Book of Psalms complete my labors in endeavoring to explain and illustrate the sacred scriptures."

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE
ROBERTS TORPEDO COMPANY.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The following is a brief summary of the RIGHTS AND CLAIMS OF THE ROBERTS TORPEDO COMPANY, which rights they intend to enforce against all parties violating the same.

The rights of said Company consist of three Patents issued and granted by the United States to E. A. L. Roberts for explosion of Torpedoes in oil bearing rock, together with the assignment of six other Patents for the exclusive right to use Nitro-Glycerine and other powerful explosive materials for the uses and purposes in the other Patents mentioned.

In the various legal conflicts relating to the Patents above mentioned, volumes of testimony have been taken and some of the best legal talent in the country has been employed in opposition to the Company, but after a contest of over two years, it was decided by the Supreme Court of the United States that Col Roberts was the first to discover the practicability and invent the means of increasing the capacity of oil wells in the oil bearing rock by exploding Torpedoes therein.

That since the organization of said Company, in order to protect their rights, it has been deemed necessary to commence suits against several persons, among whom are [illegible], Albert E. Nickerson, and Kent & Hellner, (operators,) and Sonate & Parks, (manufacturers.) That during the trial of said several cases, the pretended claim of William Reed and others in relation to being the discoverers and first to apply Torpedoes in oil wells, was fully investigated, and notwithstanding the said pretended claim of Reed and others, judgment was obtained in the United States Court against the several parties defendants in said suits, and permanent injunctions issued against all of them. And in order further to protect the interests of said Company, suits have been commenced in the United States Court and injunctions obtained against Frederick T. [illegible], of [illegible], Venango county, Pa., and George W. VanVliet, of Pithole, in said county. And in addition to the above suits, in which injunctions have already been obtained, in order to protect the just rights and interests of said Company, a suit has been commenced against Sherman Camp, of Rouseville, and proceedings instituted against the Reed Torpedo Company, of Reno, Pa.; William Reed, William Phillips, Ralph Pettibone and J. S. Stubbs, officers of said Reed Torpedo Company, their agents and employees and all other persons known to have purchased Torpedoes of them, or any of them.

In view of the benefits resulting from the use of Torpedoes and the liberal patronage of the community, in order that all parties [illegible] themselves of them, this Co[illegible] Torpedoes at a price [illegible]

Whi[illegible] they deem [illegible] the public in order [illegible] into difficulty [illegible] circulars of Comp[illegible] are pirating their rights, as suits will be [illegible] against all persons, who, either use or purchase Torpedoes of any except them or their [illegible], in their [illegible] cover the exclusive right to explode Torpedoes in all wells.

WM. B. FOGO, President, New York.
W. B. ROBERTS, Secretary, New York.
E. A. L. ROBERTS, Superintendent, Titusville, Pa.
New York, February, 1868.

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A. H. Simpson,
Agent [illegible] Pithole and vicinity.
W. [illegible],
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MISCELLANEOUS.

COLLECTOR'S SALE.

By virtue of authority vested in me by Acts of Congress, of July, 1862, and March and June, 1864, I have levied on the following property, to satisfy a debt of A. A. Bennett & Co., due the United States under said Acts. One Oil Refinery, situated on Trout Run, Titusville, Pa., including with the said Refinery, all Stills, Tools, Tubing, Buildings and other property. Also, three acres, more or less, of land on which said Refinery is situated.

Sale to take place on Monday, March 23d, 1868, at two o'clock p. m.

C M ALLEN, Deputy Collector.

The above sale of A. A. Bennett & Co's refinery and other property is adjourned to April 16, 1868, at two o'clock p. m.

C. M. ALLEN, Deputy Collector.
Titusville, March 23, 1868. mar24dtd

MRS. C. B. TRACY'S

EMPORIUM OF FASHION

37 Spring St. Titusville, Pa.

Is now prepared to show the Ladies of this city and vicinity a full assortment of

Winter Styles,

Comprising all the latest novelties of Millinery Goods, cut of the best Houses in New York City. Ladies coming to this city will certainly find it to their interest to call and examine our Styles before purchasing elsewhere. We are determined to sell cheap, as we have a large stock of Goods and wish to make room for Spring trade.

COME ONE! COME ALL!!

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GRAND TRIUMPH!

PRIZE MEDALS AWARDED

DURYEA'S STARCH & MAIZENA,

FOR THEIR UNQUESTIONABLE EXCELLENCE AT

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PRESENT.

The Honorable NATHAN K HALL, Judge.

JAMES R. SHEAR & JOSEPH PACKARD,
vs
GEORGE E. BULL & JOHN M. ROCKWELL } *In Equity.*

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed, that a perpetual injunction be issued in this suit against the defendants, restraining them from further infringements of said Patent No. 31,466, dated Dec. 4th, 1865, for improvements in cooking stoves, pursuant to and in accordance with the prayer of the Bill of Complaint.

(Signed) A. A. BOYCE, Clerk.

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EXPRESS—Leaving Boyd Farm 7.00 a. m., TITUSVILLE 7.38 a. m., arrives at Corry at 9 05 a. m., running through to Brocton without change of cars.

MAIL—Leaving Boyd Farm 12.05 p. m., TITUSVILLE 12.57 p. m., arrives at Corry 2.10 p. m

ACCOMMODATION—Leaving Boyd Farm 5.30 p. m. arrives TITUSVILLE 6.19 p. m

WAY FREIGHT No. 6—Leaving Boyd Farm at 9 30 a m TITUSVILLE 11 10 a. m., arrives at Corry at 2 30 p. m

WAY FREIGHT No. 4—Leaving Boyd Farm 2.00 p. m. arrives at Titusville 4 00 p. m., and Corry 6 25 p. m.

SOUTHWARD BOUND TRAINS.

MAIL—Leaving Corry 9 25 a. m., TITUSVILLE 11 10 a. m. and arrives at Boyd Farm 11.41 a. m.

EXPRESS—Leaving Corry 5.10 p. m., leaves TITUSVILLE 6 44 and arrives at Boyd Farm 7 18 p. m.

TITUSVILLE AND BOYD FARM ACCOMMODATION—Leaving TITUSVILLE 7 30 a. m, arrives at Boyd Farm 8 34 a. m

FREIGHT No. 1—Leaving Corry 2.00 p m., arrives at TITUSVILLE 6 15 p. m.

WAY FREIGHT No. 3—Leaving Corry at 5 30 a. m. arrives at Titusville at 9 10 a. m

WAY FREIGHT No 5—Leaving Corry 9 05 a. m., TITUSVILLE, 12.37 p. m., arrives at Boyd Farm 1 50 p. m

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CROSS CUT RAILROAD TIME TABLE,

Takes effect Monday, November, 25th, 1867

NORTHWARD

Accommodation leaves Corry 6 00 a. m., Clymer 6 27, Sherman 7 05, Summit 7 19 Mayville 7 40, arriving at Brocton 8 25, connecting with B & E R. R arriving at Buffalo 10 40 a. m

Express train leaves Corry 9 10 a. m., Clymer 9 40 Sherman 10.15, Summit 10 30, Mayville 10 55 and arrives at Brocton 11 30, connecting with Express on Buffalo & Erie Railroad, arriving at Buffalo 1 35 p m

Mail leaves Corry 5 20 p m, stopping at all stations, arrives at Brocton 8 40, and at Buffalo, per B. & E. R. R at 10 40 p m

SOUTHWARD

Mail train leaves Brocton (on arrival of 6 30 train from Buffalo,) at 8 55 a. m., stopping at all stations arrives at Corry at 12.10 p m

Express leaves Brocton, (on arrival of 12.25 p m train from Buffalo) at 2 50 p m Mayville 3 28 Summit 3.46, Sherman 3 57, Clymer 4 30, and arriving at Corry at 5 00, connecting without change of cars on O C R R for Titusville, and Boyd Farm

Accommodation leaves Brocton 6 50 p m, Mayville 7 42, Summit 8 05, Sherman 8 [illegible], Clymer 8 12, arriving at Corry at 9 45 p m

Chautauqua Lake Steamer leaves Mayville, for Jamestown, [illegible] afternoon on arrival of Express from Brocton

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GOING NORTH TO OIL CITY & PETROLEUM CENTRE.

6.55 A M Express, arrives Tidioute at 7 48 a. m., Oleopolis at 9 17 a m (connecting there with trains for Pithole), Oil City 9 50 a. m, and Petroleum Centre 10 30 a. m

1.27 P M Mail, arrives Tidioute 2.22 p m, Oleopolis 4 03 p m (connects with train for Pithole City), Oil City 4 30 p m, and Petroleum Centre 5 15 p m

4 00 A M Freight No Seven, leaves Irvineton and arrives at Tidioute at 5 12, Oleopolis, 8 15, Oil City, 9 15, Petroleum Centre, 12.25 p m

7 55 A M Freight No Nine, leaves Irvineton, and arrives at Tidioute at 9 55, Oleopolis 1 25 p m, Oil City, 2.25 p m, Petroleum Centre, 4 25 p m

5 45 A. M Freight No Eleven, leaves Oil City and arrives at Petroleum Centre, 7 19 a m

GOING SOUTH FROM PETROLEUM CENTRE

8.45 A. M Mail arrives Oil City 9 25 a. m., Oleopolis 9 58 a. m, Tidioute 11 30 a. m and Irvineton 12.30 p m

2.20 P M Express arrives Oil City 2 55 p m., Oleopolis 3 35 p m, Tidioute 5 18 p. m and Irvineton 6 05 p m

12 25 P M Freight No Eight, leaves Petroleum Centre and arrives at Oil City at 3.03, Oleopolis, 4 03, Tidioute, 6 45, Irvineton, 8 15 p m

5 30 A M Freight No Ten, leaves Petroleum Centre and arrives at Oil City at 6.55 a m, Oleopolis, 8 15 Tidioute, 12.40 p m, Irvineton, 2.20 p m

4 45 M M Freight No Twelve leaves Petroleum Centre, and arrives at Oil City at 6 18 p. m

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On and after MONDAY, NOV. 25th 1867 the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows

WESTWARD

Mail Train leaves Philadelphia			....	11 15 P. M.
"	"	"	Corry	7 18 P M
"	"	arr at Erie	....	9.00 P M
Erie Express leaves Philadelphia			....	12.00 noon
"	"	"	Corry..........	7 55 A M
"	"	arr at Erie	....	9 45 A M.
Warren Accom leaves Warren			....	12.55 P M.
"	"	"	Corry..........	2.30 P M
"	"	arr at Erie	....	4.10 P. M

EASTWARD

Mail Train leaves Erie			....	10.25 A M.
"	"	"	Corry..........	12.05 A M.
"	"	arr at Philadelphia	....	8.55 A. M.
Erie Express leaves Erie			....	4.25 P M
"	"	"	Corry..........	6.18 P M.
"	"	arr at Philadelphia	....	1 00 P M.
Warren Accom leaves Erie			....	8.00 A M
"	"	"	Corry..........	9.45 A. M.
"	"	arr at Warren	....	11 15 A M

Mail and Express connect with all trains on WARREN & FRANKLIN RAILWAY. Passengers leaving Philadelphia at 12 00 m, arrive at Irvineton at 6.50 a. m, and Oil City at 9 50 a. m.

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LEAVE ERIE—GOING EAST.

Cincinnati Express 7 25 p. m., stopping at Northeast, Westfield, Brocton, Dunkirk and Silver Creek, arriving at Buffalo 10 40 p. m

Day Express, 1 50 p m., stopping at Northeast, Westfield, Brocton, Dunkirk, Silver Creek and Angola, arriving in Buffalo 5 20 p. m.

Mail and Accommodation, 6.10 a. m, stopping at all stations, arriving in Buffalo 10 10 a. m.

New York Express, 10.?0 a. m., stopping at Northeast Westfield, Brocton Dunkirk, Silver Creek, arriving in Buffalo at 1 35 p. m.

Night Express, 1.50 a. m., stopping at Westfield, Dunkirk and Silver Creek, arriving in Buffalo at 5 05 a. m.

The Express trains connect at Dunkirk and Buffalo (the Night Express at Buffalo only,) with Express trains for New York, Philadelphia, Boston, &c.

LEAVE BUFFALO—GOING WEST.

Toledo Express 6.30 a. m, stopping at all stations except Ripley Crossings, Morehead and Wesleyville arriving at Erie 10 20 a. m

Day Express, 12.25 p. m., stopping at Lakeview, Angola, Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Brocton Westfield, North East, arriving at Erie 3 40 p. m.

Mail and Accommodation, 4.00 p. m., stopping at all stations, arriving at Erie 8 50 p. m.

Night Express, 12.25 a. m., stopping at Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Westfield, arriving at Erie at 3.40 a. m.

Steamboat Express, 9.00 p. m., stopping at Lakeview, Angola, Silver Creek, Dunkirk, Brocton, Westfield, Ripley and North East, arriving at Erie 1.30 a. m

Freight trains leave Erie, eastward, at 4.45 a. m., 7.00 a. m., 10.20 a. m., and 6.30 p. m.; and leave Buffalo, westward, at 8.05 a. m., 3.40 a. m., 9.50 a. m., 6.00 p. m. and 6.05 p. m.

The Day Express west, connects 3.30 p. m., at Brocton with Buffalo & Oil Creek Cross Cut R. R., for Corry and Oil Creek, without change of cars at Corry. Railroad time is 10 minutes faster than Erie Time.

[illegible] R. N. BROWN, Gen'l Sup't.

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10.00 A. M. Express, leaves Venango, opposite Oil City, and arrives at Pittsburgh [illegible] p. m.

4.00 P. M. Mail, leaves Venango, opposite Oil City, and arrives at Pittsburgh at [illegible] p. m.

GOING NORTH.

7.00 A. M. Mail, leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Venango, opposite Oil City [illegible] p. m.

10.30 P. M. Express, leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Oil City, 7.15 a. m.

[illegible] BLACKSTONE, Superintendent.

April 13, 1868

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